

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 7596

Petition of Central Vermont Public Service Corporation)
("CVPS") for a Certificate of Public Good pursuant to)
30 V.S.A § 248 authorizing: the reconstruction of the)
CVPS Hewitt Road substation, including the)
replacement of structural steel; replacement of existing)
46/12.47 kV 5.0/7.0 MVA transformer with a 7.5/10.5)
MVA transformer; and associated upgrades including oil)
containment, bus work, breakers with microprocessor)
based relays, battery system, and a control house, in)
Bristol, Vermont)

Entered: 8/20/2010

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC GOOD ISSUED
PURSUANT TO 30 V.S.A § 248

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the Public Service Board of the State of Vermont ("Board") this day found and adjudged that the proposed reconstruction of the Central Vermont Public Service Corporation ("CVPS") Hewitt Road substation in Bristol, Vermont, including (1) the replacement of structural steel, (2) replacement of an existing 46/12.47 kV 5.0/7.0 MVA transformer with a 7.5/10.5 MVA transformer, and (3) associated upgrades including oil containment, bus work, breakers with microprocessor-based relays, battery system, and a control house, will promote the general good of the State of Vermont, and a Certificate of Public Good is hereby issued to CVPS, subject to the following conditions:

1. Construction, operation and maintenance of the project shall be in accordance with the plans and evidence submitted in this proceeding.
2. Prior to commencing construction, CVPS shall obtain all necessary permits and approvals. Construction, operation, and maintenance of the proposed Project shall be in accordance with such permits and approvals, and with all other applicable regulations, including those of the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources.

3. CVPS shall install a continuous line of cedars along the northerly substation fence, as shown on the approved site plan; the trees shall be at least six feet in height upon installation and no more than six feet apart.

4. Construction activities shall be allowed only between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on weekdays, and between 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on weekends and holidays.

5. CVPS shall install a surface liner and temporary berm structure as an oil-containment measure for the temporary substation at the Hewitt Road substation site. Prior to commencement of construction for the temporary substation, CVPS shall file, for Board approval, a proposed plan for the oil-containment system. Parties shall have one week, from the date this plan is filed with the Board, to comment on the plan.

6. The Board retains jurisdiction to review aesthetic mitigation measures post-construction and to require additional mitigation measures as the Board determines to be appropriate.

7. This Certificate of Public Good shall not be transferred without prior approval of the Board.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 20th day of August, 2010.

<u>s/ James Volz</u>)	PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD OF VERMONT
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<u>s/ David C. Coen</u>)	
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<u>s/ John D. Burke</u>)	

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

FILED: August 20, 2010

ATTEST: s/ Susan M. Hudson
Clerk of the Board

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